

## CITY OF HUNTINGTON BEACH PUBLIC WORKS COMMISSION REQUEST FOR ACTION

Item No. PWC 10-15

**SUBMITTED TO:** Chairman Siersema and Members of the Commission

**SUBMITTED BY:** Travis K. Hopkins, PE, Director of Public Works

**DATE:** May 19, 2010

**SUBJECT:** Water Main Replacement project, Various Locations

Downtown, CC1361

<u>Statement of Issue</u>: Plans and specifications for the Water Main Replacement project, Various Locations Downtown, are in final preparation. Staff is seeking support for the project and the initiation of the competitive bid process.

<u>Funding Source</u>: Funds in the amount of \$1,600,000 are budgeted in the Water Master Plan, Water Main Replacements, Account No. 50791006.82100.

<u>Impact on Future Maintenance Costs</u>: This project will replace 75 year old steel and cast iron pipelines. The maintenance cost for these new pipelines will be substantially lower than for lines at the end of their functional life.

**Recommended Action:** Motion to recommend to the City Council, the Water Main Replacement project, Various Locations Downtown, CC1361.

<u>Alternative Action(s)</u>: Deny approval and recommend an alternative action.

Analysis: In Chapter 7, Project No. 17 of the approved 2005 Water Master Plan and Financing Plan for the City of Huntington Beach recommends "To increase distribution system capacity and reliability, the City will continue to replace cast iron pipe in the distribution system with new water mains made of non-corrosive materials." The goal is to systematically replace all unlined cast iron pipe. Unlined cast iron pipe is subject to both internal and external corrosion. Internal corrosion reduces the water main inside diameter, and external corrosion reduces water main reliability. This is the final phase of distribution water main replacement in Downtown Huntington Beach.

This project will replace approximately 3900 lineal feet of 6-inch, 8-inch, and 12-inch diameter pipeline. A standard service life cycle for new buried pipelines is 100 years. The estimated service life for valves, air vacuum valves and other buried appurtenances is approximately 50 years.

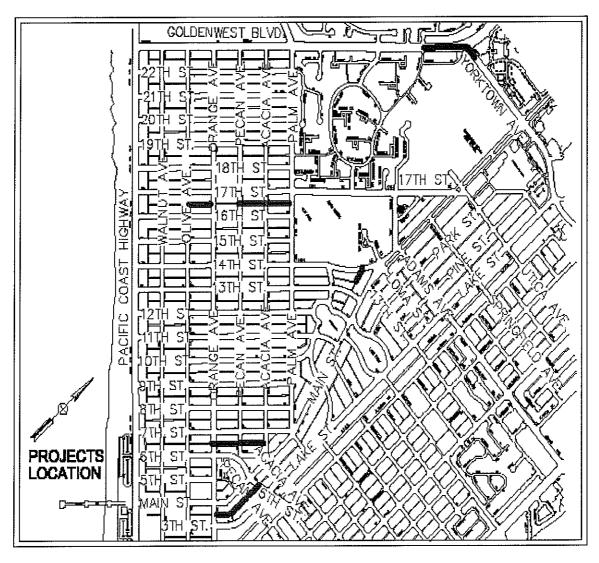
## Water Main Replacement Project, CC-1361

Location	Length (Feet) / Diameter (Inch)	Engineer's Estimate
8-Inch	\$337,000	
Alley Between 16 <sup>th</sup> and 17 <sup>th</sup> , bounded by Olive and Orange	438 Feet /	
	8-Inch	\$175,000
Alley Between 6 <sup>th</sup> and 7 <sup>th</sup> , bounded by Orange and Acacia	781 Feet /	
	8-Inch	\$312,000
Alley Between Lake and Main, bounded by Orange	821 Feet /	
and 6th	8-Inch	\$328,000
	246 Feet /	
Alley West of Main, bounded by 13th and 14th	8-Inch	\$99,000
	198 Feet /	
Goldenwest at Palm	12-Inch	\$91,000
	72 Feet /	
Goldenwest at Deep Harbor Lane	8-Inch	\$29,000
	379 Feet /	
Goldenwest between Cambria and Little Harbor	8-Inch	\$152,000
	166 Feet /	
Goldenwest at Yorktown	12-Inch	\$77,000

Total Construction Cost = \$1,600,000

**Attachments:** Location Map

## **ATTACHMENT #1**





CC1361 - Water Main Replacement Project in Various Locations Downtown